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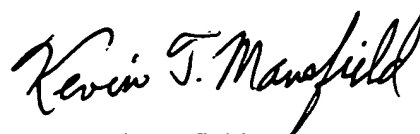
In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the International Search Report and the references cited therein were supplied when this application entered the U.S. national phase.

The International Search Report indicates that U.S. Patent 5,255,350 is a substantively cumulative English language counterpart of EP 0446168.

Enclosed herewith are copies of EP 0527108 along with an English translation, FR 2819887 with an English language abstract, GB 2361158 and the Provost et al article.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form.

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U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5,255,350	10/93	Hermann et al	395	109	
	5,680,327	10/97	Cook et al	364	526	
	6,349,300	2/02	Graf et al	707	100	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						YES	NO
	0527108	2/93	Europe			✓	
	2819887	7/02	France				
	0446168	9/91	Europe				
	2361158	10/01	Great Britain				

OTHER DOCUMENTS (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	J. R. Provost et al., Textile Chemist and Colorist, (1996), pp. 71-75
	Derwent Abstr. 2002-551043 [59] for FR 2819887 (2002)

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